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In re Application of:

Neal KUO

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) Group Art Unit: 2825

Filed: July 9, 2001

) Examiner: Not yet assigned

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR

DETERMINING THE BEST

INTEGRAL PROCESS PATH TO

PROCESS SEMICONDUCTOR

PRODUCTS TO IMPROVE YIELD

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGE

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, it is respectfully requested that Figure 5 of the above-captioned application be added to the Drawings.

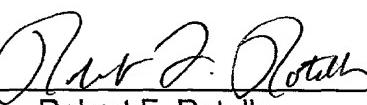
Upon approval of the proposed changes, Applicants respectfully request that the submission of revised drawings be deferred until after a notice of allowance has issued.

Respectfully submitted,

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